

I'm writing to encourage you to grant LPFM stations precedence over so-called Translators that will allow out of town broadcasters to fill up the airwaves with non-locally produced shows. LPFM gives a voice to volunteers, folks who by the very nature of volunteerism are interested in local issues and willing to donate the time to cover these issues all too often forgotten by commercial broadcasters especially after the liberalization of FCC regulations over the last few years. I think low power FM fills the void left by huge commercial conglomerates who for their own interests centralize programming, and must have priority over re-runs for lack of a better term.